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SUBJECT: OCTOBER OIL AND GAS AND PIPELINE EXHIBIT  
AND SEMINAR

REF: MOSCOW 1530 (JAN. 31, 1975)

MOSCOW FOR NILES/BLOW

1. PLANS MOVING WELL FOR SUBJECT EVENT. POLL OF INDUSTRY  
ELICITED A GOOD RESPONSE. SEEMS LIKELY MORE THAN SEVEN  
COMPANIES COULD BE INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING. USDOC/  
BEWT ASSUMES COMM. OFF. PREFERS NOT TO DISMANTLE LIBRARY  
SECTION OF OFFICE TO ACCOMMODATE ADDITIONAL BOOTHS.

2. A REVIEW OF POTENTIAL CONFLICTS REVEALS TWO EXHIBITIONS  
WHICH SHOULD BE CONSIDERED. OCTOBER 15-19 MAJOR  
INTERNATIONAL PIPELINE EXHIBIT IN ACAPULO, MEXICO, AND  
NOVEMBER 21-30 SOVIET SPECIALIZED EXHIBIT FOR GEOLOGY, ETC.  
BEST DATES MAY BE OCT. 7-9 OR NOV. 4-6. BEWT AWAITS COMM.  
OFF'S DETERMINATION.

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3. DOES COMM. OFF. STAFF ANTICIPATE BEING ABLE TO OBTAIN EXACT EQUIPMENT SPECIFICATIONS FOR BROAD PRODUCT CATEGORIES? BEWT CONFIDENT OF TYPES OF EQUIPMENT WHICH WILL BE IN HIGH DEMAND, BUT PRODUCER FIRMS WANT MORE EXACTING DETAIL. AN EXAMPLE: HOW MANY POUNDS PER SQUARE INCH OF

PRESSURE ARE LARGE DIMETER PIPES TO BE DESIGNED TO WITHSTAND?

4. REFTTEL MENTIONS S.C.S.T. AND MINISTRY OF CONSTRUCTION OF THE PETROLEUM AND GAS INDUSTRY ENTERPRISES IDEA TO SPONSOR AN EXCHANGE OF EXPERTS. COULD THE VISIT OF US EXPERTS TO THE U.S.S.R. BE TIED TO COMM OFF'S. PROPOSED EXHIBIT AND SEMINAR? USDOC/BEWT ANXIOUS TO HEAR COMM. OFF'S REACTION TO THIS PROPOSAL. INGERSOLL

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